

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

**Gerhard SCHMAUS, et al.**

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Examiner: **Yong Soo CHONG**

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For: **SYNERGISTIC MIXTURES OF 1-2, ALKANE DIOLS**

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**AMENDMENT E AND**  
**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 18, 2007, the period for response previously extended from July 18, 2007, to August 18, 2007, by a Petition for One Month Extension of Time, Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination, a Petition for a Second Month Extension of Time, and fees; and the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.